

**IN THE MATTER OF**  
United States Patent Application No 09/647098  
In the name of **Eimeria Pty Limited** and  
the **State of Queensland** through the  
**Department of Primary Industries**, and  
the **Rural Industries Research**  
**and Development Corporation**

This is Exhibit **PAS-7** referred to the in the Statutory Declaration of Dr Peter A Stearne made before me.

DATED this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April 2001.

BEFORE ME: Ross Heisey

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19 August, 1999

The Commissioner of Patents  
WODEN ACT 2606

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Attention: Cassy Richards

Our Ref: 724077 /PS

Re: Eimeria Pty Limited AND The State of Queensland through  
the Department of Primary Industries AND Rural Industries  
Research and Development Corporation  
International Patent Application No. PCT/AU99/00232  
"Vaccination modalities"

Sir,

In relation to Powers of Attorney filed at the Patent Office pertaining to execution of the PCT Request form we advise that Powers of Attorney have been filed in respect of the corporate applicants, Eimeria Pty Limited, The State of Queensland through the Department of Primary Industries and Rural Industries Research and Development Corporation, and in addition from inventor applicants in respect of the USA, David Grant Richards and Wayne Keith Jorgensen.

The remaining inventor, Norman Porter Stewart, refuses to sign a Power of Attorney notwithstanding the fact that he contributed to the invention during his employment with the State of Queensland through the Department of Primary Industries and is as a consequence obligated to sign the Power of Attorney. Through his legal advisor he has sought to extort money in order to sign the Power of Attorney, which of course the parties have not agreed to as they are under no financial obligation to pay Dr Stewart in respect of signing a Power of Attorney.

In the circumstances it is not possible to obtain signature of a Power of Attorney on behalf of Dr Stewart. We would ask you to advise the PCT authorities in Geneva in this regard and dispense with the requirement for a Power of Attorney to be executed by Dr Stewart.

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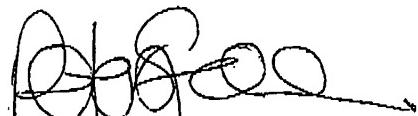
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Please feel free to contact the undersigned by telephone in relation to this matter.

Yours respectfully  
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DR PETER STEARNE